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- 1. We return herewith signed concurrence sheets for the two subject proposed regulations.
- 2. Although we can see no legal objection to issuance of these proposed regulations in their present form, we would suggest the desirability of inserting in each, under paragraph 3, entitled "RESPONSIBILITIES", some further provision for the guidance of the individual receiving a foreign award as to whether he may retain physical custody pending a determination by the Director of Security as to the method of handling his case. The following sentence might be added at the end of Paragraph a of Section 3 in Proposed "Upon receipt of such reports, the Director of Security will advise the individual concerned what further action may be required of him respecting disposition of the gift, award or other honor." Comparable language in sterile form should be added to Paragraph 3 of proposed we understand that the procedure which our suggested addition in language would implement is presently in practice.

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